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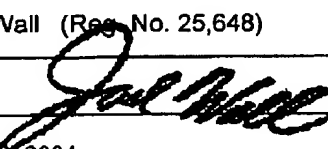
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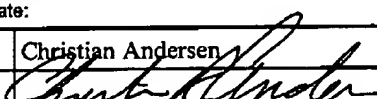
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| 1202 | 18 | 2202 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 |
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| 1452 | 110 | 2452 | 55 | Petition to revive - unavoidable | |
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